

FCC Commissioners
The Federal Communications Commission RE: Docket 04-435
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Dear FCC Commissioners ,

I am writing to voice my concerns about the FCC's proposal to relax the restrictions on the use of cell phones on airplanes in flight.

There is no hard evidence that cell phone use doesn't interfere with navigational instruments. The introduction of cell phone use in the cabin will not only increase tension among passengers, it will compromise flight attendants' ability to maintain order in an emergency. Cell phone use could also enable terrorists to coordinate a plan of action more effectively.

It is annoying enough now with people using their cell phones on the transit systems, and it would be worse on a long flight. Even Amtrak has quiet cars where cell phones are not allowed.

Please leave the current rules in effect.

Sincerely,

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Senator Paul Sarbanes
Senator Barbara Mikulski
Representative Albert Wynn